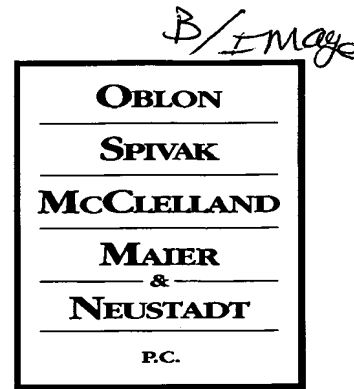




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Examiner: R. Teller

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

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This application has been allowed, but the issue fee has not yet been paid. Kindly make the following correction of a typographical error to the SP-C (LKS)<sub>3</sub> sequence shown in Claim 9.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.